



# Compensation Initiatives



## ■ Base Pay raises expected to be at least 3.5% per year through FY-06

- Employment Cost Index (ECI) + .5%
- FY-05 President's budget includes a 3.5% average increase in Base Pay

## ■ Enhanced Career Sea Pay

- Eligibility expanded to all pay grades
- Pay tables adjusted

## ■ SUBPAY increase to account for effects of inflation (last increase 1988)

- FY-02 legislative change took pay tables out of law and raises legislative *limit* to \$1000/month.
- Targeted SUBPAY rate increases:
  - » Junior officers and enlisted took effect on 1 Oct 2002
  - » Targeted pay raises for DH/XO/CO will take effect 1 Oct 2004



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## ■ Tax free BAH rates continue to significantly increase under a major DOD reform initiative

- Out of pocket expenses have dropped from an average 8%/year for CY03 to 3.5% in CY04.
- FY-05 President's budget continues to buy-down out of pocket housing expenses for military personnel.

## ■ Family SGLI - more security for you and your family

- Covers spouse and children.

## ■ Thrift Savings Plan

- Opportunity to defer tax on a substantial portion of base pay, bonuses and special pays up to \$13,000/year in CY04.
- Translates in up to a \$3,000 reduction in current year federal tax
- Need to get the word out on this worthwhile savings plan! Visit **WWW.TSP.GOV** for more information.



# Nuclear Officer Incentive Pay

**Current Program Status**

## ■ Legislative limits versus payment rates

<u>Rate</u>	<u>Legislative Limit</u>	<u>Current</u>
COPAY	\$25,000	
\$22,000/\$25,000		
AIB	\$22,000	\$12,500
LDO AIB	\$10,000	\$6,000
ACCESSION	\$20,000	\$12,000

## ■ Effective 1 Oct 2004 COPAY restructuring took effect

- 3-yr agreements remained at \$22K/year
- 4-yr and 5-yr agreements increased to \$25K/year

## ■ N133 currently evaluating additional compensation initiatives for FY05 and FY06

- LDO AIB increase (FY05)
- Nuclear Accession Bonus increase (FY06)



# Submarine Support Incentive Pay

## Retention of submarine officers

### ■ SSIP eligibility requirements are modeled after those for NOIP, with appropriate modifications:

- On active duty, and thereby entitled to receive basic pay.
- Have not completed more than 25 years of active service (including previous enlisted service) by the end of the term of the contract (required by CSRB legislation).
- Officers who hold designator 1120 previously nuclear qualified.
- Currently serving in pay grades O-4 through O-6. Not eligible until date of promotion to O-4.
- No pending or approved lateral transfer requests, or applications to the Permanent Military Professor Program.

### ■ Payment structure:

- \$10K/\$11K/\$12K per year for one, two and three year contracts respectively.
- Annual payment can be made up to the statutory limit of 25 YCS

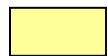
### ■ OSD approved program in June 2002. Program startup 01 August 2003.



# Budget Initiatives - SUBPAY

## SUBPAY Chart

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS														
Pay Grade	Years of service based upon Pay Entry Base Date													
	2 or less	Over 2	Over 3	Over 4	Over 6	Over 8	Over 10	Over 12	Over 14	Over 16	Over 18	Over 20	Over 22	Over 26
O - 10	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355
O - 9	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355
O - 8	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355
O - 7	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355	355
O - 6	595	595	595	595	595	595	595	595	595	595	835	835	835	835
O - 5	595	595	595	595	595	595	595	595	790	835	835	835	835	835
O - 4	365	365	365	525	595	705	705	705	790	790	790	790	790	790
O - 3	355	355	355	510	595	705	705	705	705	705	705	705	705	705
O - 2	305	305	305	305	305	305	425	425	425	425	425	425	425	425
O - 1	230	230	230	230	230	230	425	425	425	425	425	425	425	425



**Changes for FY-05**



**Changes for FY-03**

- FY-05 changes target mid-grade officers as compared to FY-03 changes that targeted junior officers**
- Change begins at beginning of DH tour to make it even more attractive to junior officers**

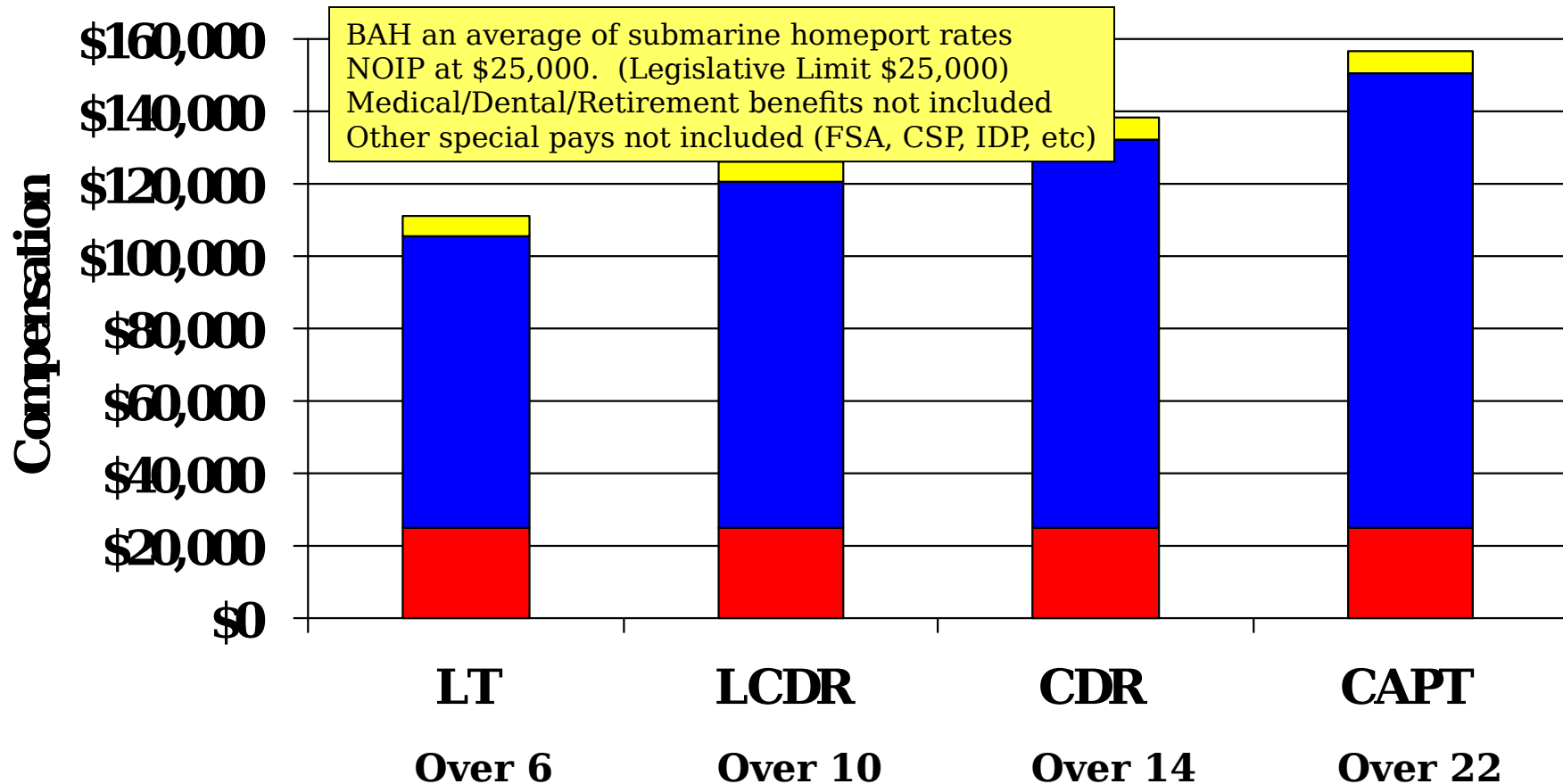


# Pay and Allowances

## *Current Rates - SEP 2004*



■ Bonus ■ Pay and Allowances ■ Tax Advantage

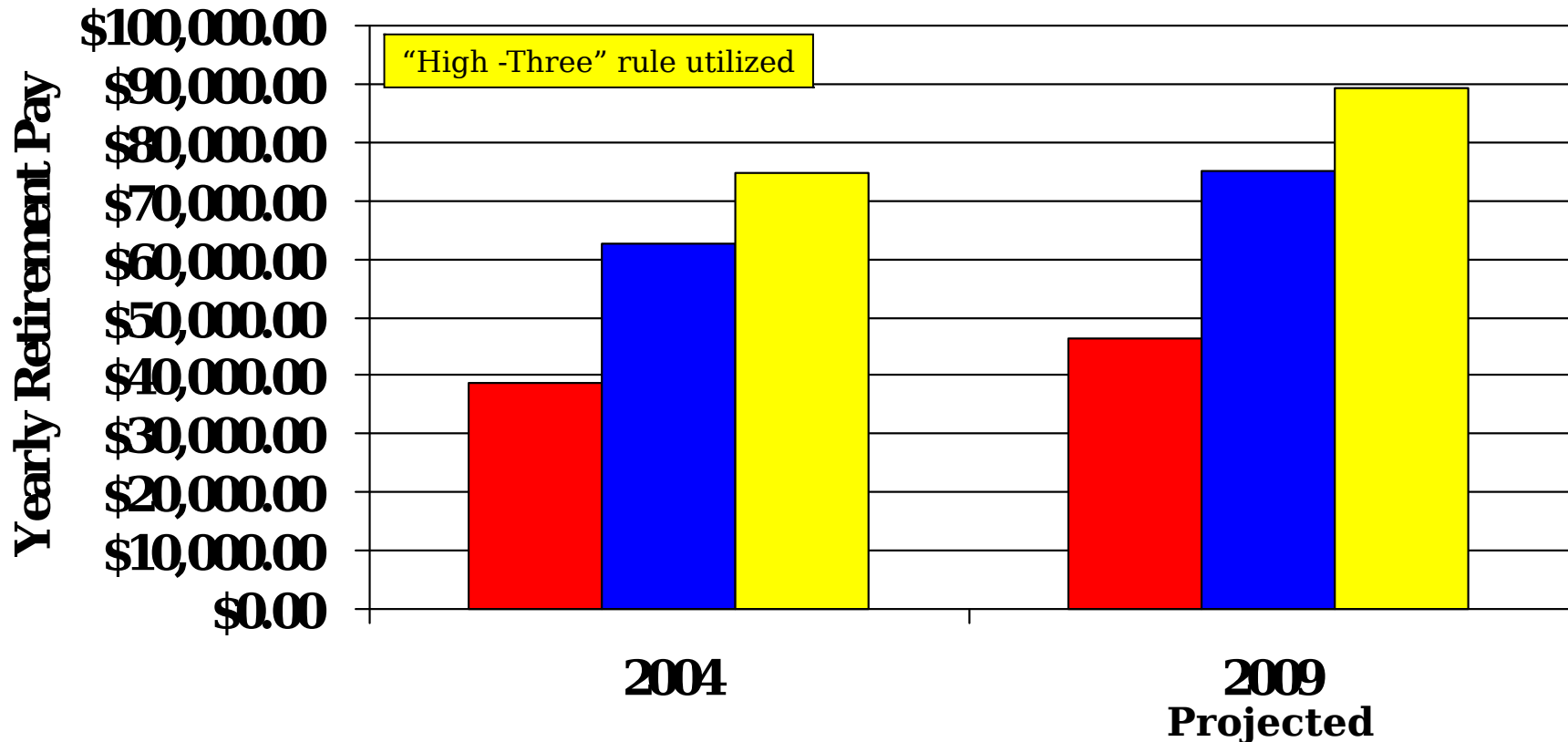


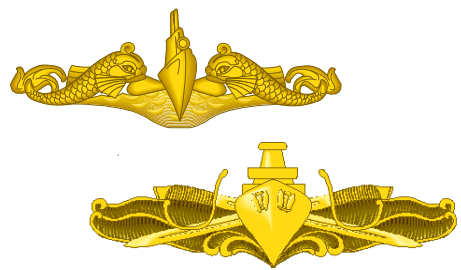


# Military Retirement Benefits

## Retire at 42, 48 or 52?

■ CDR at 20 Years ■ CAPT at 26 Years ■ CAPT at 30 Years





# Bonus and Special Pay

## *Year Cumulative Compensation*

